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Client's Ref. No.: US3586

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Hideto Ohnuma, et al.  
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Examiner : R. Kunemund

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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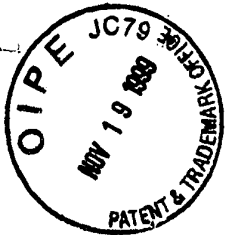
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